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In re Application of

Inventor(s) : Russell Alan Nippert and Brian Eugene Swank
 Title : RESISTANCE WELDING ELECTRODE AND
 PROCESS FOR MAKING
 Assignee : The Nippert Company
 Docket No. : NIP 055 PA

VIA EXPRESS MAILBOX PATENT APPLICATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
 Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Enclosed are the following papers:

X Specification, abstract and claims, 24 pages total
X Informal Drawings 5 sheets (3 sets)
X Declaration and Power of Attorney
 _____ A claim for priority under 35 USC §119 is hereby made with
 respect to _____ application No. _____ filed
 _____ A certified copy of that application
 _____ is enclosed/_____ will be filed later.

Calculation of Fee

Basic Fee				\$770.00
Total Claims	<u>22</u>	- 20 =	<u>2</u> X \$22.00	= <u>44.00</u>
Independent Claims	<u>4</u>	- 3 =	<u>1</u> X \$80.00	= <u>80.00</u>
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			TOTAL	<u>\$894.00</u>

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